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Dear Administrator/Chief Executive Officer:

You have received this letter because a completed 2011 NHSN Mandatory Reporters Assessment Form has not yet been returned for your facility(ies) in response to the letter that was sent to you February 9, 2011.

In accordance with [NRS 439.847](#) and [NAC 439.900](#) as modified by regulation [R044-10](#), medical facilities that provide medical services and care to an average of 25 or more patients during each business day in the immediately preceding calendar year are required to participate in the National Healthcare Safety Network and share their data with the Nevada State Health Division.

In order for the Office of Epidemiology to assess whether your facility is required to participate, please fill out the form available at health.nv.gov/NHSN_Forms.htm and submit it via the in-form submit button. A completed form must be received even if your facility served less than an average of 25 patients. Please submit the form as soon as possible. Returns are now due April 1, 2011.

Should you have any questions or need any assistance, please [contact](#) a member of NSHD's NHSN team.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Adrian Forero".

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